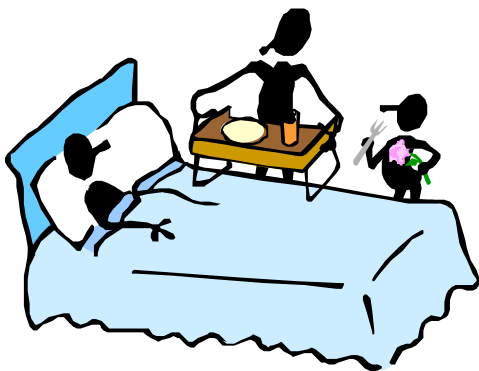


ACCOMMODATIONS IN THE NASA JOHNSON SPACE CENTER VICINITY



Accommodations around NASA Johnson Space Center and Ellington Field are plentiful, and deciding which hotel best suits your team's needs and budget can be challenging. Again this year, the management of each hotel listed in the chart has agreed to provide a special rate to program participants. A brief description and overview of each is provided below. If these options do not meet your team's needs, browse the list of other places students have stayed, or check out other lodging options on the web.

When selecting accommodations and making reservations, please remember to:

- Share this hotel information with all team members, including the team's journalist and faculty sponsor.
- We recommend that you plan your travel so that you can **arrive the day before** your Flight Group program begins. Teams will begin "check-in procedures" at Ellington Field early Thursday morning.
- Hotel management recommends that you try to set up the team's entire stay with one phone call to avoid availability problems.
- The four recommended hotels have agreed to hold a certain number of rooms aside for the "KC-135 Student Flight Program" participants. If you are not using one of the four, please note that the Clear Lake area attracts a fair number of tourists; therefore, you may want to begin seeking reservations now to avoid availability problems later. Expect to experience problems finding accommodations if you wait until the last minute to secure reservations.
- When making reservations at the four recommended hotels, team members should mention NASA's "KC-135 Student Flight Program" in order to receive applicable program discounts.
- If you choose to stay at any other area hotel, ask the reservation clerk for the "school or government rate." Teams qualify for this discount because they are attending an event sponsored by both government and a Texas public school.
- If your team will be checking in after 6pm, let the reservation clerk know in advance and ask if you may use a credit card to "guarantee for late arrival." If you find you are running late the day of your arrival – call ahead to inform the reservation clerk of your approximate arrival time.
- Advise your journalist where your team plans to stay so he/she can make reservations at the same hotel.
- Confirm your team's length of stay, rate per night and write down the confirmation number before concluding your reservation telephone call.

HOMEWOOD SUITES by HILTON

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| ADDRESS | 401 Bay Area Blvd, Houston, Texas 77058 Phone: 281-486-7677 Fax: 281-486-1665 Email: HOUCL_DS@Hilton.com Web: http://www.homewood-suites.com |
| TALK TO | Tricia Barker/ Sales or Joan Medland/Director |
| LOCATION | Three miles from JSC and Space Center Houston; five miles from Ellington Field. |

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| ROOMS | All suites with interior corridors. One and two-bedroom suites. Two types of one-bedroom suites are available: (1) "Double" has two double beds and a sleeper sofa sleeper, and (2) "King" has one King-sized bed and a sofa sleeper. The two-bedroom suites have two double beds, a king-size bed, a sleeper sofa, two bathrooms, 3 TVs. There are a very limited number of the two-bedroom suites available. All suites have separate bedrooms, fully equipped kitchens, and separate living and dining area, work area with desk. |
| RATE | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One-bedroom suites with a king bed and sofa sleeper: \$87.00 per night plus tax maximum 4 people. One-bedroom suites with 2 double beds and sofa sleeper: \$99.00 per night plus tax maximum 6 people. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two-bedroom suites with king and 2 double beds plus sofa sleeper: \$179.00 per night plus tax maximum 7 people. |
| AMENITIES | Pool; exercise room, sports court. Fully equipped kitchens include microwave, refrigerator, coffee maker, twin-burner stove, and kitchen utensils. Iron and ironing board, hair dryer. Data ports for laptop connection. High speed internet access. Daily maid service. |
| EXTRAS | Complimentary full breakfast includes hot item (bacon or sausage and eggs), yogurt, pastries, bagels, hot and cold cereals, fresh made Belgian waffles, fresh fruit, and much more. Complimentary evening social hour (M-T) includes a light meal with beer and wine; Coin operated laundry; Business Center. Fax and copy machine available. Complimentary USA Today. |
| RESERVATIONS | Call Homewood Suites by Hilton directly when making reservations (281-486-7677) and speak to the contacts listed above. Do not call the 1-800 number. Please mention that you are part of JSC's "KC-135 Student Flight Program" when making reservations to receive the discounted rates. Reservation requests can be made via the e-mail address: HOUCL_DS@Hilton.com |
| PAYMENT | The occupants of each room are responsible for all charges and must be prepared to pay the entire bill upon checkout using one payment method (cash, credit card, etc). Homewood Suites accepts cash, traveler's checks, and checks written on official school accounts or any major credit card. Personal checks are accepted and scanned for approval. Guests will be required to provide a credit card or cash for incidentals to cover telephone and any other charges other than room & tax. Payment can be made in advance. |
| COMMENTS | Nice place to come home to every night. Close proximity to the airfield. Fair price for great accommodations. Comfortable and safe. Definitely worth the money. |

TOWNPLACE SUITES by MARRIOTT

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| ADDRESS | 1050 Bay Area Blvd. Houston, Texas 77058 Ph: 281-286-2132 Fax: 281-286-1483 Email: Elizabeth.lipton@marriott.com Web: http://www.townplacesuites.com |
| TALK TO | Elizabeth Lipton |

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| LOCATION | Three miles from Johnson Space Center and five miles from Ellington Field.. |
| ROOMS | Neighborhood homelike environment with all indoor corridors. Studio and two-bedroom suites. The studio is a one-room unit with a full kitchen, one queen size bed and work area with desk. The two-bedroom suite has one queen size bed in each bedroom, one bath and separate living area. Sofa beds available upon request. All suites have fully equipped kitchens. |
| RATE | Studio: \$69.00 per night plus tax. Maximum 3-4 occupants. Two bedroom suite: \$99.00 per night plus tax. Maximum 5 occupants. 17% local and state taxes will be added. *Program participants are exempt from state taxes if tax exempt certificate is presented at time of check-in. |
| AMENITIES | Complimentary high speed internet access, Serving daily a new Grab and Go Breakfast, Free local phone calls, faxes and copies, pool, 24 hour staff, exercise room, laundry facility, on-site dry cleaning; BBQ grill, cable TV and HBO. |
| EXTRAS | Walking distance to grocery stores, local area restaurants, and shopping. Part of the Marriott Reward Program...you can earn points! |
| RESERVATIONS | Call TownPlace Suites directly when making reservations (281-286-2132). If you encounter any problems when making reservations, ask to speak with Elizabeth Lipton at ext. 640. You may also e-mail at Elizabeth.lipton@marriott.com You may begin making your reservations not, but NO LATER THAN two weeks prior to arrival. |
| PAYMENT | Occupants of each room are responsible for all charges and must be prepared to pay the entire bill upon checkout using one payment method (cash, credit card, etc.) TownePlace Suites accepts cash, traveler's checks, checks written on official university accounts or any major credit card. Personal checks are not accepted. A credit card or check will be required upon check-in for each suites incidental folio. |
| COMMENTS | Inexpensive and clean. Close to NASA FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT TOWNEPLACE SUITES DIRECTLY. |

MARRIOTT RESIDENCE INN

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| ADDRESS | 525 Bay Area Blvd, Houston, Texas 77058 Phone: 281-486-2424 Fax: 281-488-8179 Email: ri.houcl.sales@marriott.com Web: http://www.residenceinn.com |
| TALK TO | Carol R. Roder, Director of Sales |

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| LOCATION | Two miles from JSC and Space Center Houston; five miles from Ellington Field. |
| ROOMS | All suite hotel with Studio and Two-Bedrooms/Two Bath. The studio is a one-room unit with a full kitchen, full sized appliances, one queen size bed, sleeper sofa, and work area with desk. The Two-Bedroom suite has one Queen-sized bed in each bedroom, two baths, separate living area with sleeper sofa, three TV's and three phones, full kitchen, and work area with desk. Daily housekeeping. Free hot breakfast buffet served daily. Social Hour (M-T) with beer, wine, soft drinks and a light dinner snack. FREE HIGH SPEED INTERNET IN ALL ROOMS. |
| RATE | Studio \$87.00 per night plus tax. Maximum 3 occupants. Two-bedroom suite: \$140.00 per night plus tax. Maximum 5 occupants. 17% local tax will be added. Local phone calls .50 each, and long distance charges are 45% upcharge. Pre-paid phone card or cell phone would help lower phone expenses. |
| AMENITIES | Outdoor pool and hot tub, phone with data port, cable/satellite TV with HBO, self-service guest laundry, same day valet (dry cleaning) and sports court (basketball, volleyball, tennis). FREE HIGHT SPEED INTERNET. |
| EXTRAS | Fully equipped kitchens; Coin operated laundry room; fax and copy machine available. In-room iron and ironing board, free coffee and popcorn, and hairdryer. Free USA Today and popular magazines available in Gatehouse. Restaurants within walking distance. |
| RESERVATIONS | You may use the Marriott 1-800-331-3131 number. If you encounter any problems while making reservations, ask to speak with Carol Roder at 281-486-2424. Be sure to mention NASA's Reduced Gravity Program when making reservations to receive the discounted rates. We have created a Program Code specifically under "Reduced Gravity" that will pull up the above quoted rates. |
| PAYMENT | The occupants of each room are responsible for all charges and must be prepared to pay the entire bill upon checkout using one payment method (cash, credit card, etc). Residence Inn accepts cash, traveler's checks, and checks written on official school accounts or any major credit card. Personal checks are accepted and scanned for approval. Invoices will be provided to universities needing proof of expense. Pre-payment can be made prior to arrival. Guests will be required to give credit card or cash for incidental folios to cover phone charges, pet fees, valet or movie rentals...any charges other than room and tax. |
| COMMENTS | Marriott's Upscale Extended Stay hotel offering all the comforts of home. Close to NASA and Ellington Field. |

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT RESIDENCE INN DIRECTLY.

WELLESLEY INN & SUITES

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| ADDRESS | 720 West Bay Area Blvd. Ph: 281-338-7711 Fax: 281-338-7722 Email: losmws@primehospitality.com Web: wellesleyonline.com |
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| TALK TO | AMY KENNEDY, DIRECTOR OF SALES |
| LOCATION | Three miles from JSC and Space Center Houston; Five miles from Ellington Field. |
| ROOMS | All suite Hotel with interior-corridor. "Queen" has queen size bed sofa and fully equipped kitchen, "King" has king size bed, separate living room with pull out sleeper sofa and fully equipped kitchen, "Double/Double" has two double beds separate living room with pull out sleeper sofa and fully equipped kitchen. |
| RATE | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Queen Suite - \$62.00 per night plus applicable tax • King Suite - \$62.00 per night plus applicable tax • Double/Double - \$62.00 per night plus applicable tax |
| AMENITIES | All room studio suites, Fully equipped Kitchens, Daily Housekeeping Service, In house cardiovascular fitness facility, service guest laundry, Same day valet (dry cleaning), Phones with Data Ports, Cable TV with HBO, Outdoor Swimming Pool and Daily Complimentary Deluxe Continental Breakfast. |
| EXTRAS | Coin Operated Guest Laundry, Complimentary USA Today, Fax and Copy Machine available, Guest voice mail, In-Room Coffee Makers with Free Daily Coffee and Tea Setup, In-Room Iron / Ironing Board and Hair dryer |
| RESERVATIONS | Call Wellesley Inn & Suites directly when making reservations at (281-338-7711) and speak to the contact listed above and mention that you are part of JSC's "KC-135 Student Flight Program" in order to receive the special discounted rate. |
| PAYMENT | <p>The occupants of each room are responsible for all charges and must be prepared to pay the entire bill upon checkout using any payment method (cash, credit card, etc.)</p> <p>Wellesley Inn & Suites accepts cash, checks written on official school accounts or any major credit card. Invoices will be provided to universities needing proof of expense.</p> <p>Pre-payment can be made prior to arrival.</p> |
| COMMENTS | Wellesley Inn & Suites is your home away from home. The property is within walking distance of a variety of restaurants and only minutes from Baybrook Shopping Mall. See Attachment Below. |

NASA's KC135 Student Flight Program

*The Wellesley Inn & Suites is pleased to host the accommodations for the NASA
KC135 Flight Program.*



Queen Suites - \$62.00/night (plus tax)

Our Queen suites include a queen size bed, fully furnished kitchen with full size refrigerator, living area with sofa, in-room safe, coffee maker, iron and ironing board, two line phone with voicemail and high-speed internet connection. Our queen suite sleeps 2 comfortably!

King Suites - \$62.00/night (plus tax)

Our King suites include a king size bed, fully furnished kitchen with full size refrigerator, large living area with Sofa Bed and chair, in-room safe, coffee maker, iron and ironing board, 2 line phone with voice mail and high-speed internet connection. Our King sleeps 3- 4 comfortably!

Double Suites - \$62.00/night (plus tax)

Our double suites include two double beds, fully furnished kitchen with full size refrigerator, large living area with Sofa Bed and chair, in-room safe, coffee maker, iron and ironing board, two line phone with voicemail and high-speed Internet connection. Our Double sleeps 5-6 comfortably!

Hotel Amenities

- ◆ Complimentary Continental Breakfast
- ◆ Cable Television with HBO
- ◆ In House Fitness Center
- ◆ Outdoor Swimming Pool
- ◆ Daily Housekeeping Service
- ◆ Valet Service (Mon-Fri)
- ◆ Guest Laundry Facilities
- ◆ Pay Per View movies
- ◆ Safety of Interior Corridors
- ◆ 24 Hour Front Desk
- ◆ Convenient to Bay Brook Mall
- ◆ Convenient to Many Restaurants

The Wellesley Inn & Suites is conveniently located just off Interstate 45 (Exit #26 toward U of H Clear Lake) on the North-side of Bay Area Boulevard, next door to Zio's Italian Restaurant. The property is a three-story, interior-corridor property within walking distance of a variety of restaurants and only minutes from Baybrook Shopping Mall and a number of Clear Lake and area attractions (Space Center Houston, Kemah Boardwalk, Gulf Grey Hound Park)

INFO ON OTHER AVAILABLE ACCOMMODATIONS:

All are close to Ellington Field and Johnson Space Center

- Extended Stay America (281) 333-9494
1410 Nasa Rd. 1
- Quality Inn NASA (281)333-3737
904 E Nasa Rd. 1
- Microtel Inn & Suites (281) 335-0800
1629 Nasa Rd. 1
- Hampton Inn & Suites (281) 332-7952
506 W. Bay Area Blvd.
- Super 8 Motel (281) 333-5385
18103 Kings Row

OTHER VISITOR INFORMATION:

- Texas State Official Visitors Guide:
<http://www.traveltex.com>
- Visitor's Guide to Houston area:
<http://www.houston-guide.com>
- Visitor's Guide to Galveston:
<http://www.galveston.com>
- Visitor's Guide to Clear Lake area:
http://www.clearlakearea.com/cl_top.html
- A map of the area is available at:
<http://cass.jsc.nasa.gov/hticons/areamap.jpg>

